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Sen. David Pearce Receives Mizzou Alumni Award

JEFFERSON CITY—Senator David Pearce (R-Warrensburg) was recently honored by the University of Missouri Alliance of Alumni Associations and Extension for his exceptional alumni service. University of Missouri President Gary Forsee presented Sen. Pearce with the Alumni Alliance Award for Outstanding Alumni Service to the University of Missouri-Columbia during the 2010 Outstanding Alumni Service Awards Dinner in Jefferson City on March 1.

"It is an honor to be recognized by the MU Alumni Alliance," Sen. Pearce said. "As long as I serve in the Legislature, I am committed to making education my top priority. I fully realize the importance of providing Missouri students with the highest quality education at all levels because I believe that access to excellent learning opportunities is the foundation for future successes."

Senator Pearce serves as chairman of the Senate Education Committee and chairman of the Educated Citizenry 2020 Committee. He received a bachelor's degree in agricultural journalism from the University of Missouri-Columbia.

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